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Advancing research for public impact and accelerating innovation across New Jersey

Strategically growing and classified as an R2 university by the Carnegie Foundation, Rowan University meets the criteria for R1 status and is actively progressing toward that designation.

Rowan is a lead academic partner in NJEDA's Strategic Innovation Centers, supporting research and commercialization in medical technology and maternal health. The University also has partnered with the National Aerospace Research & Technology Park and the Atlantic County Economic Alliance to build a national research consortium focused on aviation technology, safety and workforce development.

\$81.2M

sponsored research awards in FY25

\$25M

Rowan Innovation Venture Fund

17

National NSF I-Corps Awards since 2018

19

NSF CAREER Awards

25+ research centers and institutes, including:

- Advanced Materials & Manufacturing Institute
- Center for Research & Education in Advanced Transportation Engineering Systems
- Rowan-Virtua Child Abuse Research Education & Services Institute
- Institute for Public Policy & Citizenship
- Machine & Artificial Intelligence Virtual Reality Center
- Rowan-Virtua New Jersey Institute for Successful Aging

TOP 100

national public research university

U.S. News & World Report 2025 rankings

South Jersey Technology Park

- Entrepreneurial ecosystem providing facilities, labs and office space for academic research and regional technology startups
- 15 entrepreneurial companies in life sciences, new technologies and product development
- Research centers in materials, transportation and virtual reality

#1

fastest-growing public research university in Northeast, Top 10 in nation

The Chronicle of Higher Education Almanac 2025

\$55M

Department of Defense research grants awarded since 2012

Key funding areas



Types of awards

- Advanced Manufacturing & Materials: 21%
- AI & Digital Transformation: 4%
- Biomedical & Health Sciences: 54%
- Environment & Sustainability: 7%
- Culture & Society: 14%

Innovation and commercialization (as of FY25)

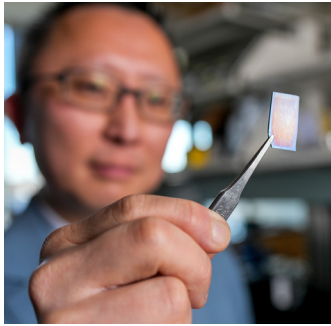
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invention disclosures

63

patents





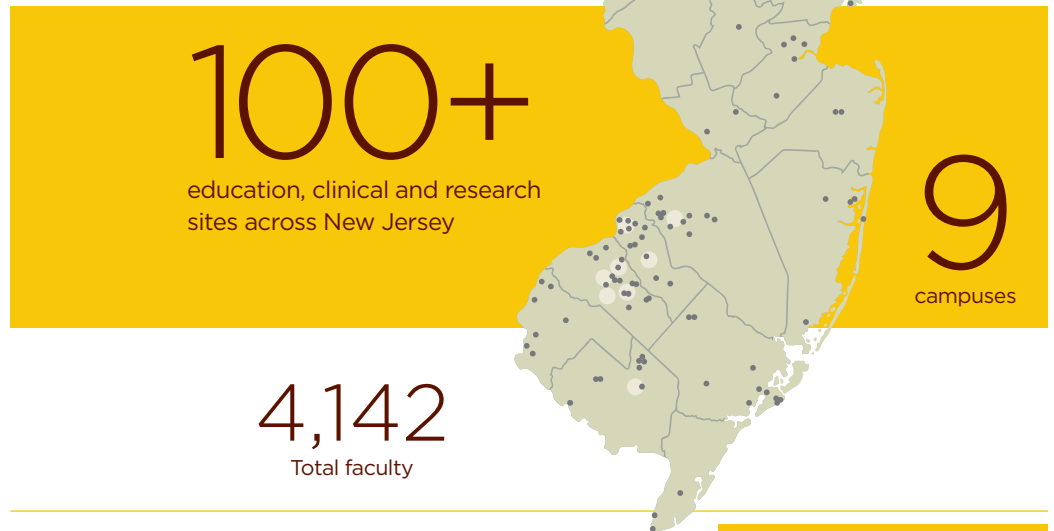
COLLEGES

- Ric Edelman College of Communication, Humanities & Social Sciences
- Martinson Honors College
- Rohrer College of Business
- Rowan College of Engineering
- Virtua Health College of Medicine & Life Sciences
- College of Education
- College of the Arts
- College of Science & Mathematics

SCHOOLS

- Cooper Medical School of Rowan University
- Salva School of Nursing & Health Professions
- Rowan-Virtua School of Osteopathic Medicine
- Rowan-Virtua School of Translational Biomedical Engineering & Sciences
- Shreiber School of Veterinary Medicine
- School of Earth & Environment
- School of Financial Planning, *Powered by Edelman Financial Engines*
- School of Innovation & Entrepreneurship

Ever-expanding reach



4,142
Total faculty

24,215
Total unduplicated enrollment FY25

36.8%
Approximate underrepresented enrollment

Medical education

1 of 2

Rowan is one of only two universities in the nation to grant M.D., D.O. and D.V.M. degrees

126

Bachelor's degree programs

69

Master's degree programs

18

Doctoral degree programs

3

Professional degree programs



Top 50

undergraduate entrepreneurship programs in the U.S.

The Princeton Review/
Entrepreneur Magazine
2025 rankings



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